## HOME MATTERS.

Personal. Mrs. Allen Jordan, Bloomington, is in the city.

York is the capital of York Co., and judging from the appearance of the Republican, its rejection of the "patent" fraud, and the liberal use of its advertising columns by numerous merchants, we should infer that it was a live, goahead, and growing town-a capital place to "grow up with," as Charles is dvidently going

The Hon, J. D. Caton, of Ottawa, made an argument before Judge McRoberts on Thursday last, in a chancery case in which he (Caton) is in-terested as counsel. The learned ex-Judge is as well versed in legal lore' as when on the Bench, and is, moreover, a good speaker.-Joliet Repub

Dr. J. O. Harris delivered two lectures on Texas to audiences in Marseilles on Tuesday last.

not in remarkably good health is far from being don "was a bad man," and when it came to a to both sexes." "dangerously ill," being able to move about his vote Sheldon's friends were reduced to Blake, place easily and attend to its business cares. L. A. Tower, Esq., Wenona, managed to get to Sheldon's \$31.50 returned to him. Ottawa this week despite the mud.

Mr. F. Cook, late of Wm. Trabing's, having

the west when he continued his journey to Col- the city did the laying of it.

greatly extended and improved.

officers for the ensuing year and other important motion to pay each band \$10. business desires a full attendance of the P. of H. The Mayor recommended that a water-heater E. C. SNEDAKER, Sec'y.

matrimonial market is firm,

### The New Literary Society.

number met at the basement of the Methodist church on Monday evening last. On motion Prof. Works was chosen chairman and Mr. Palmer secretary. The object of the meeting was stated by the chair, after which a committee would not act appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws. D. McDougal was appointed chairman of that committee; that while to some it the McHodist church. A Committee, and will report at the first regular meeting of the society, next Monday evening, at the McHodist church. A Committee on programme reported the following for the exercises for the next meeting:

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Woodward.

The discussion will be very interesting and inwell capable of of filling said engagement. The

moth stock and low prices.

now at Mrs. J. Doll's on Mill st.

# Ell Perkins,

which that we can give it the great number of "shows" ahead of his engagement, making too severe a pecuniary draft during these days. The When the business was through with, Ald. When the business was through with, Ald. One they make the property of the and that his audience enjoyed it is attested by adjourned.

On Wednesday next there wile be digarade of the Fire Companies assisted by the Feremen of Streater and Peru. In the excellent, at Turn Hall, will take place the graph of the propole.—La Selle Press. Hall, will take place the annual full of the Un. The Prox has never mode a truer or juster ut. dire Hose Co., for which tickets are now being terance than the above, and it is all the more age paid. Single copies, 25c each, sold. It is hoped that the builders men will enpleasant for coming from La Salle, whose papers Elcholson at the Bail.

Regular monthly table of losses by fire in the men, who are not afrest of investing their money S. and Caradas for October, is published in at home instead of carrying it off to Chicago and ist week's Ckronicle from which we make the burying it in fency "outside property." Mowing exponels:

percept losses \$5.455.100 \$5.982.500 The city of Le Selle, which, during the present

co lens, 7 woo'en mills.

The City Council.

An adjournment meeting of the City Council a full board of Alderman being present.

tee and the Mayor with power to act.

were unanimously confirmed.

West and Hoban. The petition was refused and

taken unto himself a rib, will leave on Monday made by the Gas Company not long ago have with a "jack-lantern." The lantern was set in potaken unto himself a rib, will leave on Monday for California to take a situation in a clothing house.

Mr. J. Meigs, not Mr. C. C. Glover, as the La Salle Democrat says, has been head assistant in the Ottawa Post Office. The mis-statement cuts no particular figure so far as Mr. Meigs is concerned, but "Honor to whom honor is due,"

Made by the Gas Company not long ago have been shut off from gas supplies and remain unlighted. To relight them it will be necessary to lay some 700 feet of pipe, one-half the expense of which the Gas Company agree to pay if the city will pay the remainder, the cost to the city being about \$100. The committee would recommend nothing on the subject. On motion of Dean it was referred to the Gas Company not long ago have been shut off from gas supplies and remain unlighted. To relight them it will be necessary to lay some 700 feet of pipe, one-half the expense of which the girl sent to look at it. She was somewhat frightened though not seriously, but in walking about fell off the porch where she had been, hurting herself so severely that she fainted away. The boys were then in turn more serious by frightened than the girl had been, hurting herself so severely that she fainted away. The boys were then in turn more serious by frightened than the girl had been, hurting herself so severely that she fainted away. The boys were then in turn more serious by frightened than the girl had been, hurting herself so severely that she fainted away. The boys were then in turn more serious by frightened than the girl had been, hurting herself so severely that she fainted away. The boys were then in turn more serious by frightened than the girl had been, hurting herself so severely that she fainted away. The boys were then in turn more serious by frightened than the girl had been, hurting herself so severely that she fainted away. The boys were then in turn more serious by frightened than the girl had been, hurting herself so severely that she fainted away. The boys was a failed of the Meaton than the cerned, but "Honor to whom honor is due," nothing on the subject. On motion of Dean it that's all.

nothing on the subject. On motion of Dean it was killed, and jumping on a horse rode "for that's all." was referred to the Gas Committee with power ly there, leaving the girl lying senseless. When Noah R. Smith, formerly of this city and well to act.

lils., on Friday morning, of dropsy; aged, 52 laid on Mill st. from La Salle st. to Fox river, many years but we never before heard of anywhich operated splendidly. The Hydraulic Co., many years but we never before neard of anyone's being frightened by them, nor we presume
whose duty it is to keep open a sewer under in the city on yesterday, spending the day with their tail-race, but which they have not done for Mr. L. Perkins, until the afternoon mail left for years, furnished (to compromise) the pipe and

The Mayor stated that the Hook & Ladder Will Linton has taken in a partner, Mr. John-Company, through Mr. Hull, foreman, had been ston, of Ontario Co., Canada. Mr. Johnston will dunned for \$15 by Bach's City Band for services company was composed entirely of young people, be found to be a "success," and under the new on inspection day. As the parade had been orregime we expect to see the business of the firm dered by the Mayor, pursuant to an ordicreatly extended and improved.

County Grange Meeting.

The annual meeting of the La Salle County

The annual m Grange, No. 61, will be held in the City Hall at done the same work, should be paid the same, Offiawa on Tuesday the 4th day of December, 1877, though they had asked nothing. The matter commencing at one o'clock P. M. Election of was compromised by the adoption of Jackson's

be purchased for the engines. All admitted that it would be "awful nice," as our lady friends There was a great rush for wedding trunks at might say, to have a heater, but "owing to the A. Frank & Co.'s lately. This indicates that the late failure of crops," "uniforeseen expenses," a "stringent money market," and such like, it was determined to postpone the matter-indefinitely.

Mr. Porter, from his special committee,-Por-A petition having been circulated for the pur-pose of organizing a new literary society, a large ter, Murphy and Shuler,—appointed at Mr. Lonumber met at the basement of the Methodist gan's request to investigate the Jekyll-Logan ly upon the charge that he had appropriated divers hundred pounds of paint, &c. As Mr. J. had attested to the honesty of the painters who 3. Discussion-Palmer, Hanne, Paine and used the material, Mr. L. cleverly got a certificate from Messrs. Feebes & Gehring to the effect that aside from ordering the paint he had nothstructive, no doubt, as the gentlemen chosen are Mr. Jos. Wilkinson, the boss of the painters' subject will be of their own choice. Our informant called upon the chairman to ascertain the to points in the article. At the conclusion of his theme for their discussion, but they had failed as remarks, Mr. Phelps said that further discussion yet to settle on any topic. They are at present was unnecessary. The building committee, of yet to settle on any topic. They are at present which Mr. Logan was chairman, had in all hings from hing of the new serial by Miss Alcorr, entitled "Uxface things sustained Mr. Logan's acts as chairman of THE LILECK," with illustrations by Mary Hallock Foote. that committee, and moved that the council as a committee, which was unanimously agreed to.

Doctor Storr reset an arm for Peter Smith, a farmer's boy, who broke his arm last August From our informant we learn that the boy has suffered great agony through the ignorance or arelessness of a Lostant doctor. The facts in the case are these: The boy fell from a load of hay and dislocated his arm. The Lostant "doctor" was called and, thinking it broken, set the farm, using, as we are informed, pasteboard for tor" was called and, thinking it broken, set the corner," is vacant; so on motion of Trimble his tain a short serial story by the author of "the Schunbergarm, using, as we are informed, pasteboard for committee were instructed to procure a table for splintring the same. The arm retained its crook- "reporters." We expect to see the corner wow on the actual four of the werk in his own yacht. ed position in which it was placed, and in order crowded at next meeting. Perhaps the Per Wer to restore it to its proper usefulness it was found necessary to rebreak, and reset it. The boy is necessary to rebreak, and reset it. The bey is years—send a boy down to look in on the "dads," while the "twilight," who stumbles in generally The "HOW" SERIES of instructive papers, by various an Eli Perkins was not greeted by a large andience mustache on the table's walnut legs and get up mine coal; How to say yourselves at home; How to be an

hecture was all that it was claimed to be, a hur the dist made no speeches during the evening fee. There will be also a series of morous talk of an hour or so, and twas good. who they made no speeches during the evening fee that it was claimed to be, a hur through the series of the fee also a series of morous talk of an hour or so, and twas good. His discussion of the theory of fun as laid down live winnies each to repeat "Spartaeus," or tions from the infinity of funny things were unusually happy. The rest of the evening was from having audited bills to the amsount of \$229.52, many others.

the number of "sore sides" we heard extendated of on Sunday.

Ottawa is one of the pretriest cities in the interior of Illinois, and is steadily growing and improving notwithstanding hard times. There are listed are

courage the boys by giving at an a slight lift as generally have been unable to mention Ottawa usual, by purchasing tickets. The balls have al. without an accompanying exhibition of hydroways been successful and reditable to the com. phobic or rather deliring triangular rables. Otpany in every respect; seed this next one will be tawn, in spite of the stringency of the times, has, larger by far than left, yet given. Before the during the past year, you up six large, substan-Farger by far than left, yet given. Before the during the past year, put up six large, substandancing begins, there will be a short speech of welcome to the visiting companies by Mayor of capacious store rooms and extensive hall and welcome to the visiting companies by Mayor of capacious store rooms with this large additions. Yet with this large additions and beavy panel, ten styles and prices. Sending companies to the past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and the past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and the past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and prices. Sending the past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and past year. The past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and past year. The past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and year. The past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and year, put up six large, substanting discovery and year. The past year, put up six large, substanting discovery and year, put year, office accommodations; yet with this large addition she has fower steres "to rent" than a year ago. We are getting senew generation of wealthy

940 term of the circuit court, successfully disposed To greatest loss on any one day was on the 2d, of a suit for damages consed by a defective side.
\$34,900; the least on the 16th, \$45,700. Bilinois walk, has a greater one now on hand. Wm. lot \$151,000; Delaware, \$100; New York, \$1. Thomas, superintendent of the Bilinois and Mich. iot \$151,000; Delaware, \$100; New York, \$1 .- Thomas, superintendent of the Illinois and Mich-10: \$151,000: Delaware, \$100; New York, \$1.

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28:500. Twelve bakeries were burned, 5 brewligan canal such fine city for \$5000 damages, alleged to have been eaused by the city's sewers faceries, 16 gin houses, 6 grist mills, 49 country groery stores, 50 hotels, 27 liquor stores, 18 livery tables, 11 restaurants, 19 sew mills, 53 tobaccery tables, 12 tobaccery tables, 13 tobaccery tables, 14 restaurants, 19 sew mills, 53 tobaccery tables, 15 tobaccery tables, ery tables, 11 restaurants, 19 sew mills, 23 toboc- cution, while James W. Duncan, mayor of La Salle, will look after the city's interest.

Prof. Heydweiler, of this city, besides having was held on last Friday evening, the Mayor and in training a number of classes in gymnastics of both sexes at Turn Hall, has established a school Mr. Edgecombe of Ottawa, Ill., has gone in partnership with Judge Moore, and is to practice law at York. He is a young man and comes well recommended.—York (Neb.) Republican.

A petition of H. Hossack and H. Refior to have in La Salle. On last Monday evening a number of his pupils from this city went with him to La Salle and gave one of their interesting entertaints was referred to Law at York. its was referred to Law and Ordinance commitments at Opera Hall. Of the La Salle school the Press says: "An enterprise of interest to our In response to a petition from Undine Hose citizens, heads of families, which has hitherto es-Co. to have a first and a second assistant enginater of the fire department appointed, the Mayor nastics, established by the La Salle Turnverein.

PRIMROSE & WEST'S neer of the fire department appointed, the Mayor nastics, established by the La Salle Turnverein, appointed L. Perkins first assistant and Charles and in charge of Prof. Heidweller, who has been Pettit second assistant, which appointments employed by them permanently at a stated salary. The object of the school is the healthy A petition from the same to have the fire bell growth and development of the pupils, by means raised was referred to the committee on fire de- of a system of exercises, taught as in any other school. They are all of a nature not injurious to A petition for liquor license was presented by the system, and arranged with special reference Thomas Sheldon, late of Marseilles. The reluct to the promotion of health. To the careful thinktance of the council to grant the license drew or the importance of this school to our city will forth a vigorous burst of eloquence from Ald. be at once apparent, and we have no doubt it Blake, whose familiarity with the marriage feast will be accorded a full and hearty support. There The twilight has been making a vigorous ef- at Cana of Galilee was remarkable in one so is now a class of about twenty-five boys, and the fort during this week to kill Hon. G. W. Arm- young, but the more the scriptures were applied management are endeavoring to get up another strong, of Brookfield. Mr. Armstrong though by Blake, the more Ald. Jackson declared Shell-class of girls, for the system is important allke

### A Jack-Lantern Joke.

On Friday evening last while the rest of the family were at church, the boys at Mr. Arthur There are three street lamps at crossings on Lowman, on the south side, undertook to amuse Walnut street, which since the change of mains themselves by frightentening the servant girl Noah R. Smith, formerly of this city and well to act.

they returned to the house she was properly cared known by our old citizens generally, died at Secor, Ald. Shuler reported that a tile sewer had been for, and recovered, being able to perform her du-

### The C. C. Club.

of whom about 35 couples were present. Dan-cing began about 80 clock and closed at midnight. the club parties a great success, and we believe they will be looked forward to as the events of the winter. The next will take place at Hon.

Washington Bushneil's, we believe.

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